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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

RUSSIAN CIVIL WAR.

YUDENITCH "BADLY DEFEATED" AND IN RETREAT.

LONDON, November 6.
While the Bolshevik claim to have surrounded General Yudenitch's army is not confirmed, it is at least certain that Yudenitch was badly defeated at the very gates of Petrograd, and the menace of his development is not averted. Thus Reuter's forecast that the immediate fall of Petrograd was unlikely is substantiated. The reason for the failure of the advance and for Yudenitch's general retreat was the Bolshevik capture of Luga on the Petrograd-Pskoff railway, threatening his rear. Any delay of the retreatment would have endangered his communications and perhaps the existence of his whole army.

The War Office yesterday announces that Yudenitch's left was still in touch with the right of the Estonians operating in the Gulf of Finland, who are holding the original line. Yudenitch, who reached a point four miles from Petrograd, is now twelve miles therefrom. Experts opine that any fresh offensive against Petrograd must be supported by an attack from the north. Denikin wireless that he has secured 55,000 prisoners and many guns and machine-guns in the last ten days.

ANOTHER BOLSHEVİK WIN.

LONDON, November 6.
It is semi-officially stated that Kolchak's retirement is due to the fact that the Bolsheviks, reinforced, captured Petropavlovsk and crossed the river Ishim. Kolchak's centre has fallen back to within thirty miles of the Ishim river, and his right is withdrawn twenty-five miles west of the town of Ishim and continues its retreat. The Bolsheviks claim to have taken prisoner 2,000. On the other hand the Bolshevik advance east of Tobolsk is apparently at a standstill. The position on the Russian south front is little changed. The Bolsheviks continue to reinforce this front, and are clearly concentrating all their efforts in order to stem Denikin's advance before winter.

CHURCHILL REFERS TO "THE ENEMY."

LONDON, November 6.
Replying to a query whether the Bolsheviks had captured Omsk, Mr. Churchill said the latest information showed they were not within a hundred miles of Omsk. He pointed out that the Bolsheviks on this front had regained about two thirds of the ground lost since August 28 but Omsk was a long way further back and from Omsk to the sea was 3,554 miles. The strategic political situation consequently was not how much ground was gained but how many Bolsheviks could hold this front. He opined that the Siberian armies would maintain a steady front, continuing to hold large numbers of the enemy. This was a vital factor, for important developments were occurring much nearer the heart of Bolshevism.

"CHURCHILL'S REASONS."

LONDON, November 6.
In his speech Mr. Churchill said there were two factors of immense consequence to Britain arising out of our policy to help Russia. First, the League of Nations assumed responsibility for the protection of a series of little states stretching from the Baltic to the Black Sea. Secondly, we retained a friendly influence upon Russia and would fully exert that influence to mitigate the ferocity of Bolshevism, to secure the protection of the Jews, and would use it the event of victory for our efforts to secure as far as was possible the establishment of a broad democratic system of government, also to prevent Russia throwing herself into the hands of Germany (Cheers).

Colonel Wadgwood's motion was rejected by 251 to 52.

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ERIC GEDDES' DREAM.

LONDON, November 6.
Sir Eric Geddes, Minister of Transport, speaking at the dinner of the society of motor manufacturers and traders, said a new era of transportation was beginning. We must have better roads reserved exclusively for motor traffic, with a private organisation acting as a clearing-house. These roads must be classified and standardised and through routes laid down and maintained to standard by means of a levy on the users of the roads and on those landlords who benefited by fast traffic over their estates. There was a great future for road transport of goods and passengers within a fifty mile radius of the great towns, providing a better service than the railways. We must find a cheaper road train than the present lorry, and a cheaper fuel.

NEW ZEALAND PARLIAMENTS VOTE GRATITUDE.

WELLINGTON, N.Z., November 6.
Both Houses of Parliament unanimously passed resolutions expressing the people's deep appreciation of the many kindnesses and courtesies and privileges extended to New Zealand soldiers in various parts of the world; also of gratitude to the Imperial and Allied navies for keeping the sea open in wartime, and for the services rendered by the New Zealand contingent, and sympathy with the next of kin of the fallen.

FAMINE IN EUROPE.

VAST POLITICAL CONSEQUENCES.

LONDON, November 6.
A "Fight-the-Famine" council, comprising British and European economic experts, is at present meeting in London to consider measures for alleviation. It held its first public session at Caxton Hall. Sir George Paish declared that Europe was never so much menaced as at present. Poverty in Germany was so great that there might be an explosion at any moment, which might destroy not only Germany but France, Italy, and Britain. The way to restore France was to restore Germany. Another danger was that the world's credit would break down as the credit of Europe was to-day breaking down. The meeting passed a resolution urging the government immediately to take whatever steps the situation demanded.

MASARYK ON BOLSHEVISM.

SAYS IT IS AN IMPOSSIBILITY.

LONDON, November 6.
President Masaryk, speaking in the Czechoslovak National Assembly, emphasised that the watchword of their new republic was far-reaching social reforms without bloodshed. He had been through and observed closely the Bolshevik revolution. Lenin called Bolshevism true Marxism but it was much more revolutionary-anarchism or syndicalism than socialism. Lenin and his followers represent the economic and social primitivism of the illiterate Russian. I consider as a matter of principle that Bolshevism communism is an impossibility.

DOMINIONS AND NATURALIZATION LAWS.

LONDON, November 6.
Replying to Sir J. G. Butcher, Major Baird stated the representatives of the Dominions had not yet expressed their views with regard to amendment of the naturalization laws. Replying to a suggestion that the representatives of the Dominions should be requested to reply as early as possible in order that a Bill might be introduced early next session, he said he was not sure that would meet the case, as the matter depended upon the deliberations of the committee established by the Imperial conference.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

BRITAIN'S MEAT SUPPLIES.

LONDON, November 6th.
The Society of Meat Importers has issued a statement criticising Mr. C. A. McCurdy's speech cabled on October 28th, and pointing out that before the war Britain depended on Australasian and Argentine supplies, whose export capacity had actually increased during the war.

Moreover, the new sources now included Brazil, Venezuela, South Africa and China. The Government was providing the British Isles with huge quantities of meat, big profits on imported meat. Home livestock had not been appreciably reduced in war-time. The world had a prospective exportable surplus of meat—exclusive of pig meat—of 1,250,000 tons annually.

British steamers were capable of transporting to Britain 1,000,000 tons annually. Food control had operated against British trade interests and in favour of foreign ones.

If control were removed, the price of imported meat would fall by 3d. per pound by the end of the year. [A London telegram of October 28th says:—Mr. C. A. McCurdy, speaking at Loughborough, dealt with the question of meat supplies. He described the situation as full of menace, and as made more menacing by the fact that the great Meat Trust was ready to exploit the position. He forecasted Government control to secure stability. They did not want to perpetuate war-time control, but more drastic and less restrictive methods were necessary.]

He anticipated a definite and continuous policy of supervision, rather than interference, covering a reasonable period of years ahead.

He gave statistics showing that Britain required to import a million tons of meat in 1920. The rest of Europe would want three million tons, while the total exportable surplus from Australia, New Zealand, South America and South Africa together only amounted to 1,210,000 tons.]

HAVAS REVIEW.

Paris, Nov. 6.
Accompanied by five French Cabinet Ministers M. Clemenceau arrived at Strasbourg yesterday morning. He was welcomed with enthusiasm and shouts of "Deliverer." All men of position, ecclesiastical as well as civilian, offered compliments to him. In the afternoon the French President was listened to attentively when he delivered a speech on the Government policy. "I am not a candidate for re-election," he said, "but the head of a Government whose task was to prosecute the war to victory and conclude peace. I want now to light the way. From Strasbourg my voice shall be best heard. If a word is to be said it is Let us Work. The reparations due to us by Germany have been too parsimoniously measured. Conversations on this point have not been abandoned and to doubt their success would be an insult to our Allies. On the interior point of view of secularism, of the State it must conciliate with the rights and liberties of all citizens without distinction of religion. Statements of recognised churches and leaders permit us to hope that a religious peace is assured." Concerning the constitution M. Clemenceau asked no revision but that reforms be only realised by a coherent, majority and reorganisation of provincial liberties. The worker must respect the rights of others, specially of his countrymen. The most urgent need after work is the struggle against Bolshevism, the ferocious delirium of the badly liberated serfs of Russia. The French Socialist party is to be condemned for allying itself with a policy of crime. Closing, M. Clemenceau spoke of the necessity of balancing the Budget with reparation of the devastated provinces and the urgency of ending the crisis in transport by developing canals, railways and sea ports and the intensifying of agriculture. He touched on social improvements in hygiene, anti-alcoholism and popular lodging. He repeated anew: Let us speak no more, let us work.—Havas.

WAR GRATUITY.

LONDON, November 6th.
A Royal Warrant has been issued, notifying the grant of a war gratuity to the following non-European units in recognition of war service, namely:—The Hongkong-Singapore Garrison Artillery, the Sierra Leone Company Garrison Artillery, the Thirty-Sixth Fortress Company of the Sierra Leone Royal Engineers, the Fortieth Fortress Company of the Hongkong Royal Engineers, the Coloured Labour Section of the Inland Water Transport of the Royal Engineers, the West African Regiment, the Twenty-Ninth Company of the non-European Section of the Medical Corps, and the Mauritius Labour Battalion.

AVIATION.

Paris, November 6th.
M. Poulet, the French aviator who is at present undertaking a flight to Australia, has arrived at Konig.

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LONDON, November 6th.
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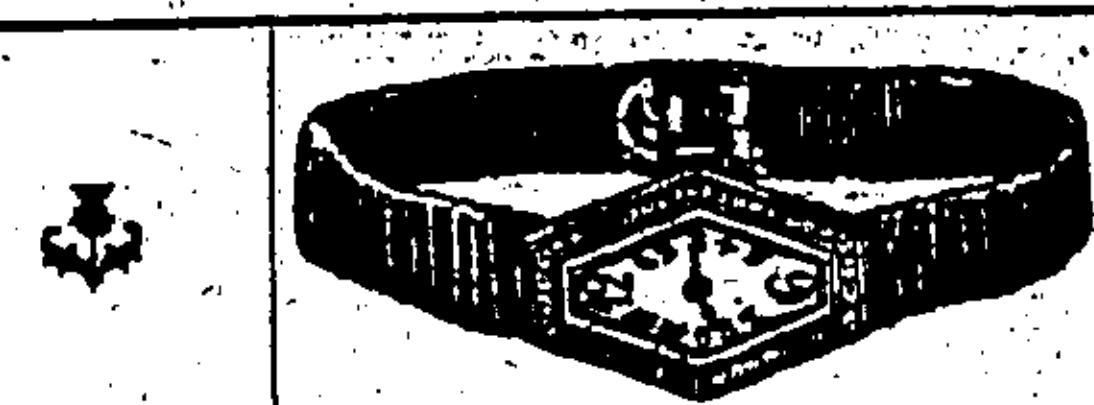
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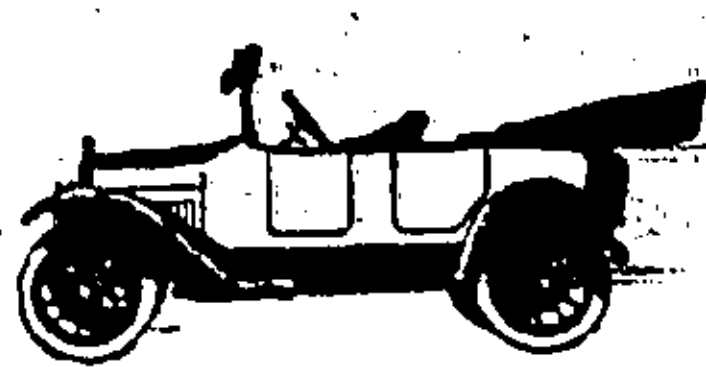
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NEWS FROM HOME.

PARALYSIS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Sept. 30.

At last we are in the vortex of
 industrial strife. The railway men's
 leaders have been stampeded into a
 national strike, with the result that
 stagnation has fallen upon commerce
 and industry, we are again on war
 rations, and the feeding of the
 families depends entirely upon road
 and sea-borne traffic, plus as much
 as individuals can carry for them-
 selves. All because the hot heads
 would not wait for the matter to be
 negotiated—that is the adjustment
 of a standard wage for all the rail-
 way workers—for another three
 months, when it could be done in
 accordance with the rise or fall of
 the cost of living.

The main facts will have been told
 you by cable. But it may not be
 amiss to give you some details of a
 supplementary character. There are
 two railway unions in the country,
 the one run by Mr. J. Bromley and
 the other by Mr. J. H. Thomas M.P.
 It is common knowledge that Mr.
 Thomas has been forced to declare
 this strike or his enemies would have
 ousted him from his position as being
 too moderate for these "progressive"
 days. Bromley, on the other hand,
 has long been in favour of having a
 tilt with the Government. In the
 end it comes to this—Parliamentary
 Government must be flouted in order
 that trade union rule may be sub-
 stituted. Defeated at the recent Trade
 Union Congress the advocacy of
 direct action, as opposed to the rule
 of the ballot box have nevertheless
 been powerful enough to bring the
 whole nation to this crisis by seizing
 the railway workers as their tools
 and victims. Yet it is already
 clear that the first to suffer by this
 precipitate action will be the rail-
 way men themselves, for even if they
 force up their wages a little for some
 of their grades, the whole of them
 will be subject to a corresponding
 increase in the cost of living, and so
 the wheel will go round in a vicious
 circle.

I need not dwell on the immediate
 result to commerce and industry,
 beyond pointing to this situation, as
 accounting for any delays merchants
 in China may be experiencing in ob-
 taining deliveries from this side. But
 I would add this, that this atmos-
 phere has long been gathering and
 with much artificial prosperity around
 as a result of highly paid war work
 and out of work doles, a spirit of
 discontent has grown up in the
 belief that the Exchequer "stocking" is
 limitless and the workers are entitled
 to get their arm down into it
 up to the shoulder. Along

with this discontent has come a
 distaste for work and a "can't
 policy" that has limited output in
 every direction, despite assurances
 by labour leaders that if an eight
 hour day were granted we should
 have more work and not less. So
 experienced business men, and many
 other competent observers are look-
 ing at this upheaval with consider-
 able philosophy, saying "It is inevit-
 able. Let us therefore have the fight
 among us until sanity is restored and
 we can all "get on with the job."

Two days before the strike began I
 heard a most admirable and weighty
 speech from Lord Weir, whose ser-
 vices to the Empire as Air Minister
 cannot be too highly valued. He
 spoke of the industrial situation and
 urged masters and men to get to-
 gether and face the facts, one with
 the other, in a plain discussion across a
 table in their own works. He also
 chastised the Government for their
 shuffling policy and demanded
 a clear lead. It was a speech by a
 great employer and its frank admis-
 sion of the justice of many of the
 labour demands showed how far we
 had moved in late years and how
 much better were the owners for a
 cross table conference between mas-
 ters and men. Perhaps this reason-
 able attitude was one of the things
 most feared by the "red party"
 among the trade unionists, who see
 millennium in bolshevism regardless
 of the sorry spectacle of Russia. At
 any rate we are in the unquiet up
 to our necks and once more Old England
 faces a crisis no less serious than in
 1914.

There is no gainsaying its gravity.
 I have seen an infinite variety of
 documentary evidence of foreign
 markets slipping away because while
 we are "reconstructing" America
 and Japan are already selling accord-
 ing to local needs. Our hope is that
 when we have hit each others heads
 awhile we shall get on with the job
 in greater cordiality, as has happened
 sometimes in our history before.
 Then, it is to be hoped, the workers
 will realise all the leeway we have to
 make up and will deliver a day's out-
 put for a day's pay. If that be so,
 and the manufacturers study local
 needs in foreign markets we shall
 recover our markets and extend still
 further, for quality is still on our side.

GERMAN TRICKS.

The Hun is at his tricks, to get
 into our markets by the back door
 and by guile. He is bending what-
 ever he cannot use himself—which
 at present is not much—to England
 disguised as Dutch or Swiss manu-
 factures, plus a little negligible stuff,
 such as whetstones, flintglass and
 rabbit skins, sent openly. But when
 commercial travellers tried to sell
 cheap German jewellery the other
 day they found retailers would not
 do business with them on any terms.
 Nor are the leather men any more
 eager.

So they pivoted an idea they have
 had in mind for years—a clearing
 house in Berlin to license all imports

and exports. They negotiated with
 a Mr. Charles Knott, a man with
 some international notoriety as an
 exhibition propagandist and now
 connected with the British Chamber
 of Commerce in Cologne, to get this
 clearing house established, with an
 Englishman in control of it.

On paper the thing looked very
 pretty, but old hands in Germany
 promptly pointed out the trick—that
 Germany would merely send us what
 she did not want, would get much
 needed goods and raw materials in
 return, and would meanwhile bridge
 the chasm that exists between her and
 the British market against the time
 when she is in a position to shoot
 her surplus products on to us.

Charles Knott sent out a trumpet
 blast through Reuters from Cologne,
 and I expect you have had a sum-
 mary of it cabled to you. But maybe
 the rest of the story has not reached
 you. He followed the trumpet blast
 in person, though the Board of Trade
 and the London Chamber of Com-
 merce had nothing to say for him.
 He was unfortunately on the first even-
 ing, for a newspaper man came
 across him as he was engaged at a
 meeting to develop the trade of ex-
 porting horseflesh from England to
 the Continent and put some plain
 questions to him as to his authorisa-
 tion. These he evaded or so answered
 as to give himself subsequent diffi-
 culties. He said he was a confi-
 dential agent from the German
 Government and that the German
 wanted the British people to under-
 stand that they did not wish to dump
 German goods in England. The fact
 is, of course, that they cannot dump
 them now, so the profession of faith
 is valuable.

Then he denied that he had ever
 been in business in England. This
 statement was pointed by the Daily
 Mail, and all the next two days
 readers of that paper were supplying
 details to disprove his assertion that
 he had never been in London before.
 They supplied material enough to
 provide a severe catechism for Mr.
 Knott, so the newspaper man went
 to keep an appointment he had made
 with him. Mr. Knott did not keep
 it, so the Daily Mail published some
 details of his record. The next morn-
 ing Mr. Knott caught the earliest
 boat train for the Continent. I do
 not think we shall hear much more
 of him or his clearing house plan
 again.

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P. TOD,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, November 8, 1919.

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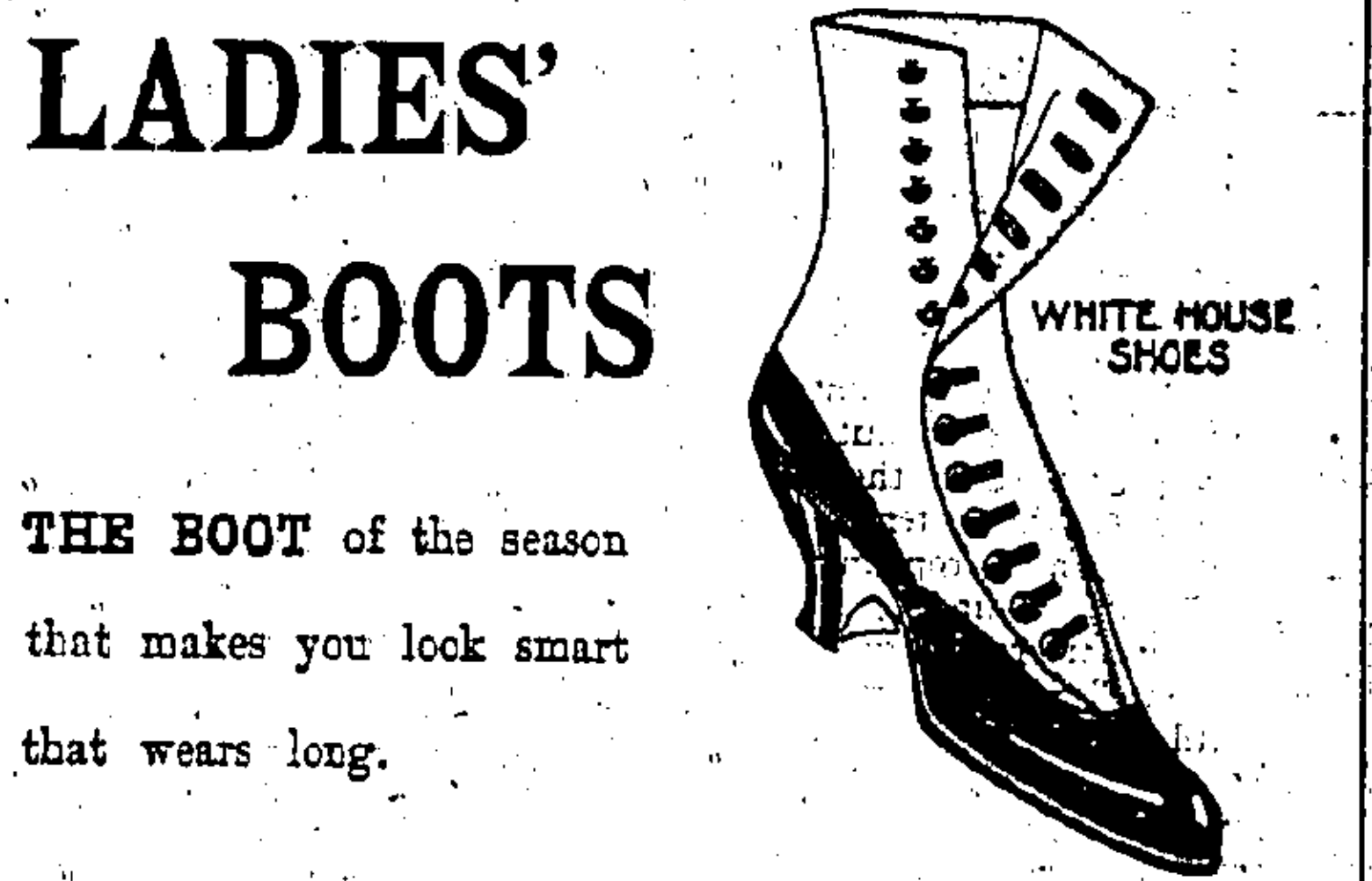
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TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOV. 11, 1919.

L.O.N. DAY.

Today at Home begins its campaign in favour of the League of Nations. So far as we have been able to take public opinion here—foreign public opinion—we fear the King's appeal, and Sir Edward Grey's appeal, and the Premier's appeal, fall on ears unsympathetic. As they would say in America, we seem to have more knockers than boosters. We submit that those who cannot find it in their hearts to boost should at least refrain from knocking. Give the baby a chance. Those who are so eager to say there's no possibility of reform in it, that was always so, and so on, remind us of King Herod, the madman who ordered the killing of the first-born because he had heard there was a baby born who would one day challenge his supremacy. But they have less excuse. They murder the baby out of sheer wantonness. By helping to poison public opinion, to prejudice public opinion, in that way, they rob the infant of its milk. At Home today, leading citizens, not cranks and pacifists, are initiating a campaign to enlist the sympathetic consideration of public opinion. The King himself is helping. God help their efforts. It is on an enlightened public opinion that the scheme must rest. Here in Hongkong we can do our bit to help, by persuading those who jeer without consideration to give it at least a chance, a fair field. Especially does the *China Mail* appeal to those who have been saying, "Human nature is human nature. There will always be fighting. There always has been, and it is foolish to expect any change." We believe that argument is unsound. We beg for a little further consideration, some calm, unprejudiced debate. We ask each of these people to accept this formula for meditation, "Is it perhaps possible that there may be something in the L. O. N. idea?"

There was the same impulsive, cocksure opposition to the idea of railways, remember. The history of the beginning of steam locomotion is very instructive in this connection. There were the same parrot-like objections to the idea of iron ships. There was the same *non possumus* to the idea of heavier than air flying machines. As Cromwell said to the Presbyterians, "In God's name, Sir, does it never occur to you that you may possibly be wrong?"

ponder it in view of the L.O.N. baby, they will admit that the poor little thing is at least entitled to be nursed, to be given a chance for life.

From today on, if you cannot honestly "boost" the L.O.N., you can fairly quit "knocking" it. In plain English, which is doubtless just as good, or better, if you cannot help don't hinder. It is civilization's most promising baby, born in trouble, and admittedly weakly, but it has quite a lot of decent god-parents. What do you want to kill it for?

ADVERSARIA.

Our respect for Capt. CAPT. H. S. H. McGrath A.D.C. has taken wing, fluttered in a darkening sky, and vanished into the twilight. Puff! In such a position, a young man should be, like Caesar's wife, beyond criticism. McGrath is not. He promised, by phone, that now he knew we were willing to print Government House news, he would send it to us. He has broken his word. This rekindles our suspicion that his former written excuses were not ingenious, and that the courtesy he boasted of has worn thin. Well, we can let him into one secret, at any rate, that should interest him. It is this. He is about as important in our eyes as the "news" he has failed to send us, and that is so small that we haven't type little enough to show it. We only refer to the gentleman to show the public how public property (for Government House news is public property) can be handled by public servants who are not elected. The *China Mail* was here many years before this young man was born, and the *China Mail* will be here many years after he is utterly forgotten. We will not be snubbed or hectored or patronized by any lack-in-office whatsoever, and certainly not by a mere A.D.C.

N.B. There are many who have somehow got the notion that in fighting the Bolsheviks we were fighting the Germans, and that therefore it was all right. They will pay more heed to what Winston Churchill tells them than to what we tell them, so we call their special attention to this morning's telegram, in which that clever cabinet minister tells us that non-intervention means one of two things. "Either the Bolsheviks would try to stave us in their juice, or reactionary Russia would stave in German juice." (cheers). That is the first official admission we have seen that we are banded together with the Germans on the side of the reactionary Russians to save the latter from becoming Germanized. Winston is a great man, a very great man, and when he dies we hope they'll allow him a sufficient drop.

Does the superstition that "gentlemen," "officers," or more correctly, the "Top Dogs," don't lie and cheat still persist? If so, it is strange how superstition clings and hangs on. Truth of September 17, on page 482, charges "Austen Chamberlain with conduct unbecoming to an honourable man in connection with the case of General Shaw. Mr. Lloyd George is known to have lied about the Bullitt business. Our own long experience convinces us that the "code of honour" of the ruling classes is about as low as it can be. Mean, dirty, dishonest tricks they'll do, and he about it like—like "gentlemen." In some cases it may be merely stupidity, of course, as when the First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. W. Long, excusing naval extravagance after the armistice, said they had to prepare for renewed war, if the armistice failed. "Thimblet," he said, that the German fleet would have been entitled to return to its owners, and the blockade would have been reimposed. Imagine a bosh-talker like that as First Lord! The blockade was not lifted at the armistice, and only a fool could suppose the German ships would be handed back for a resumption of fighting.

FROM "TRUTH."

On June 11, I called attention to an anomaly in connection with the pay of English civilian employees in the naval dockyard at Hongkong. There are two grades, and while the lower grade had received an increase of pay, war bonus, and a "service" dollar concession, the pay of the higher grade—the "agreement employees"—remained unaltered. The result was that the lower-grade men were getting more than the higher-grade men. In addition to this, the latter, owing to the working of the exchange, were assessed at a much higher rate to income-tax. The Admiralty has now made an effort to redress the anomaly. An increase of 10 per cent. on wages, excluding house and foreign allowances, is granted, while for income-tax purposes their wages are valued on the 2s. per dollar basis.

EARLY COLDS.

Be careful of the colds you take at this time of the year. They are particularly dangerous, and neglected cold may mean a winter-long cold. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To-day's dollar is worth 4/7 3/16d.

Dr. W. W. Pearce, Medical Officer of Health, has returned from service.

To-day is the birthday of King Victor Emmanuel III of Italy, who was born in 1869.

To-day's return of communicable disease shows one case of plague and one of gastro-enteritis.

Wiseman's next tea dance is on Thursday. These affairs are increasingly popular and well managed.

The Frawley Company opens its season in Hongkong, to-night, with Austin Strong's Comedy "Three Wise Fools."

Consignees are reminded that all goods per a.s. "Mishima Maru" not cleared by to-morrow will be subject to rent.

Readers are reminded that the first St. Andrew's Ball "practice dance" takes place this evening, at the City Hall from 5 to 7.

The Right Reverend Bishop D. Pozzoni left for Hoi Fung to-day on his annual pastoral visit and expects to be back by the end of the month.

This morning the children at the Peak School were presented with Peace medals. Mrs. C. H. P. Hay made the presentation and Mr. E. Ralphs, director of education, was present.

The Hongkong Tramway Company's traffic receipts for the week were \$13,735, or \$115 less than last year. The aggregate receipts for 45 weeks were \$659,996, or \$36,925 more than in the corresponding period of 1918.

Our Canton correspondent sends an account of the riot, but it does not seem so complete as the *Canton Times* story, so we prefer that one. He adds that a European doctor helped with the wounded, and that the crowd numbered about 3,000. The "Sincere" Store is still closed, and "until further notice."

A young Cantonese woman is now detained in Hongkong pending the arrival of her relatives to take charge of her. She jumped from the steamer coming down but was rescued. She was quite recently married to a hospital doctor up there, but it is said she was in love with another man, hence the attempted suicide.

At the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce at 11 a.m. to-morrow there will be a reception in honour of Messrs. Liang Shi Yi and Ip Kung Chuk, just returned from Paris. The latter is expected to give some account of his experiences. Wang Tsing Wai and Wu Wei Tak (Minister to France) voyaged out with Mr. Ip on the *Sphinx*, but went right on to Shanghai.

The *China Mail*, being easily the oldest paper in the Colony (born February 1845) is interested in the history of "the oldest organised congregation in the Colony." The history of the Union Church, brought up to date by the Rev. J. Kirk Macdonald, shows that we are about the same age. Some day, when we find a man willing to dive into the cobwebs, we must turn up our earliest files.

Two enjoyable golf competitions were played yesterday by members of the K.C.C. Golf Section. In the morning there was a one-club competition the three best cards being G. W. Avenall, 100—14—86; W. T. Elson, 100—14—86; and H. Overy, 99—10—88. Avenall and Overy played off in the afternoon the former securing the honours. The two-side foursome in the afternoon was won by H. Overy's side, 3 points against J. Hyde's side, 1 point.

CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

[By Arrangement with the Wah Tze Yai Po.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 9.

The formation of the new Cabinet is still obstructed by the An Fu Club and the Kay Mei Party.

The diplomatic body is said to have held a meeting in connection with arms landed from Italian warships. They don't want the Chinese to use them.

A military conference at Peking is assembling, with the idea of arranging a mutual disarmament of troops.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 9.

The Tachun of Sinkiang has orders to keep Russian Bolsheviks out.

Mr. Chu Yan Yuen, who arranged the American loan, had an interview with the President yesterday.

Mr. Wong Hak Min, a northern delegate, returned here yesterday from Peking.

The Premier defies An Fu Club and declines to change his selections for the Cabinet.

"WALLA WALLA" Launches at Blake Pier. Night and day service.

SPORTS.

HOLIDAY CRICKET.

A whole-day cricket match was played yesterday between H.K.C.C. and the Officers of the Garrison on the Club's ground.

Scores:

OFFICERS OF THE GARRISON—1ST INNINGS.

Capt. Oliver, b Brand	7
Major Greenaway, b Brand	5
Major Bowen, b Stalker	42
Major Edwards, c Brand b Stalker	41
Captain Gray, c Donnelly b Stalker	13
Lieut. Col. Coles, c Mitchell b Hastings	3
Capt. Wahl, c Stalker, b Hastings	3
Capt. Davies, not out	32
Col. Humphrey, b Brand	8
Major Middlemas, c Paravicini b Hastings	0
Lieut. Bryson, b Brand	2
Extras	14
Total	170

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Brand	11 4 0 57 4
Hastings	18 7 38 3
Paravicini	2 2 40 3
Stalker	11 1 40 3

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E. J. R. Mitchell, c and b Davies	26
E. W. Day, c Davies, b Bryson	7
P. de Paravicini, c Coles b Davies	5
R. A. Brand, c Oliver b Davies	6
A. B. Raworth, not out	14
J. Stalker, c Wahl, b Bryson	2
Rev. F. G. B. Hastings, b Greenaway, b Davies	4
F. Sutton, c Greenaway, b Bryson	0
D. E. Donnelly, c Greenaway, b Davies	15
Extras	10
Total	113

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Davies	18 4 0 52
Bryson	18 3 51 4

OFFICERS OF THE GARRISON—2ND INNINGS.

Capt. Oliver, b Donnelly	62
Major Greenaway, c Mitchell b Stalker	24
Major Middlemas, c Day b Donnelly	5
Major Bowen, not out	50
Major Edwards, c Mitchell b Raworth	15
Capt. Davies, not out	39
Extras	2
Total (for 4 wks. dec.)	198

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Pearce	2 0 11 0
Brand	2 0 17 0
Hastings	2 2 11 0
Stalker	4 0 36 1
Donnelly	8 1 0 62 2
Day	3 0 24 0
Raworth	3 0 35 1

HONGKONG C.C.—2ND INNINGS.

A. B. Raworth, c Davies, b Edwards	4
E. J. Pearce, st. Wahl, b Edwards	6
E. J. Mitchell, c Coles, b Edwards	6
E. W. Day, c Coles, b Edwards	7
C. Blaker, c Coles, b Edwards	7
D. E. Donnelly, st. Wahl, b Middlemas	12
P. de Paravicini, st. Wahl b Edwards	0
R. A. Brand, c Edwards, b Middlemas	0
J. Stalker, c sub, b Edwards	0
F. Sutton, not out	9
Rev. F. G. B. Hastings, c Oliver, b Middlemas	1
Extras	7
Total	51

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Edwards	7 2 17 7
Middlemas	6 3 0 27 3

H.K.C.C. 2ND XI. V. CIVIL SERVICE 2ND XI.

The Civil Service were at home to H.K.C.C. 2nd XI. yesterday. Scores:

H.K.C.C. (a)—1ST INNINGS.

W. W. Mackenzie, b Bacon	0
H. E. Hollands, c Piercy b Bacon	0
L. M. Whyte, b Hill	11
J. D. Humphreys, b Hill	11
T. J. J. Fenwick, c Hill b Wicheil	3
E. G. Lammeret, b Hill	2
R. P. Thurstfield, c Wicheil b Piercy	29
C. W. J. Johnstone, c Piercy b Wicheil	12
A. K. Mackenzie, c Fincher b Piercy	4
J. W. McPhail, b Wicheil	3
L. D. McNicol, not out	3
Extras	4
Total	82

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Wicheil	15 6 30 3
Bacon	4 1 9 2
Hill	3 1 25 3
Piercy	3 1 0 14 2

CIVIL SERVICE (a)—1ST INNINGS.

A. E. Wood, b Johnstone	28
B. W. Bradbury, c Fenwick b Lammeret	19
S. E. Elderman, c Fenwick, c Lammeret	5
R. C. Wicheil, c Johnstone, b Fenwick	8
E. C. Fincher, b Johnstone	6
W. Hill, b Fenwick	0
H. E. Strange, b Johnstone	3
F. Bacon, c and b Fenwick	5
G. H. Piercy, b Fenwick	3
G. H. Haskett, not out	4

Total

O. M. R. W.	
Wicheil	15 6 30 3
Bacon	4 1 9 2
Hill	3 1 25 3
Piercy	3 1 0 14 2

CIVIL SERVICE (a)—1ST INNINGS.

A. E. Wood, b Johnstone	28
B. W. Bradbury, c Fenwick b Lammeret	19
S. E. Elderman, c Fenwick, c Lammeret	5
R. C. Wicheil, c Johnstone, b Fenwick	8
E. C. Fincher, b Johnstone	6
W. Hill, b Fenwick	0
H. E. Strange, b Johnstone	3
F. Bacon, c and b Fenwick	5
G. H. Piercy, b Fenwick	3
G. H. Haskett, not out	4

HONGKONG CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB.

CRUISER CHAMPIONSHIP.

The first of the series of 5 Races was sailed on Sunday, November 9. The Course was from Murray Pier to Datum Rock (S) Kau-i-chau (S) Pillar Rock (S) Stonecutters (S), finishing at the Club Line. Six yachts turned out, but up to the time of the actual start there was barely enough wind to manoeuvre. With the starting gun however, a squall came away from the North, and a very good start was made. Azuma, and Norseman, closehauled, got well clear of the shipping, and kept the wind to Datum Rock and Chung Hue. Westwind, Mist, Brynhilde, and Helen got into a pitch of calm off Belchers, and were delayed half an hour, after which a strong breeze from the North carried them on to Datum Rock, Brynhilde dropping out on the way as the freshening breeze was too much for her.

The rounding of Pillar Rock was a difficult matter for everyone, and caused much delay, the wind here being light and variable, with a strong ebb tide running out of Rambler Channel. Helen gave up here, being unable to round the mark. Times are given below.

YACHTS.	Handicap on course.	Finishing time.	Corrected time.	Position.	Points.
Azuma	Scratch	2:08.00	2:08.00	1	15
Aileen	7:05	D.N.S.			
Lily	12:45	D.N.S.			
Feathers	12:45	D.N.S.			
Niobe	17:00	D.N.S.			
Lady Jean	17:00	D.N.S.			
Norseman	19:50	2:54.02	2:34.12	2	13
Westwind	19:50	3:49.30	3:29.40	4	11
Brynhilde	19:50	D.N.F.			
Queen Bee	25:30	D.N.S.			
Brenda	25:30	D.N.S.			
Ethel	25:30	D.N.S.			
Mist	28:20	3:58.06	3:29.36	3	12
Helen	28:20	D.N.F.			

HONGKONG C.C. 2ND INNINGS.

V. Hast, b Johnstone	1
Extras	8
Total	90

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Johnstone	11 4 1 25 4
Humphreys	4 0 19 0
Lammert	3 0 24 2
Fenwick	5 1 14 4

H.K.C.C. (a)—2ND INNINGS.

L. W. McNicol, b Wicheil	28
J. D. Humphreys, c Wood, b Bacon	31
T. J. J. Fenwick, c Wicheil, b Wood	20
C. W. J. Johnstone, c Strange, b Wood	3
F. P. Thurstfield, c Strange, b Wood	10
L. M. Whyte, not out	10
W. W. Mackenzie, b Wicheil	0
E. C. Lammeret, c Bacon b Wicheil	0
H. E. Hollands, not out	4
A. K. Mackenzie, did not bat	
J. W. McPhail, did not bat	
Extras	10
Total	128

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Wicheil	14 6 25 4
Hill	5 0 25 0
Strange	6 1 13 0
Piercy	3 0 22 0
Bacon	3 0 25 1
Wood	2 0 6 2

CIVIL SERVICE (a)—2ND INNINGS.

A. E. Wood, b Johnstone	45
B. W. Bradbury, b Johnstone	0
H. E. Strange, c McNicol, b Humphreys	14
R. C. Wicheil, c W. Mackenzie, b S. E. Alderman, b Johnstone	4
E. C. Fincher, c W. Mackenzie, b Humphreys	0
W. Hill, c Thurstfield, b Humphreys	0
F. Bacon, c Hollands, b Johnstone	0
G. H. Piercy, run out	0
G. H. Haskett, run out	1
Extras	6
Total	76

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Johnstone	10 1 25 4
Fenwick	3 1 15 1
Thurstfield	3 1 14 1
Humphreys	4 1 15 4

C.R.C. v. D. M. GOODALL'S XI.

Played on the home ground.

GOODALL'S XI—1ST INNINGS.

J. V. Braga, c S. K. Ng, b Yew	0
A. de Souza, b Lee	18
C. I. Stapleton, b Ching	28
W. Omar, b W. Ng	2
D. M. Goodall, c M. H. Yow, b Lee	1
W. Kay, c Ng, b Lee	3
F. C. Thompson, c Lee, b Ching	9
A. W. Ramsey, not out	61
E. C. Carr, c Ching, b Ng	13
N. L. H. Railton, c K. K. Wong, b Yew	5
M. H. Abbas, c Un, b Ng	16
Extras	7
Total	168

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	
Yew Man Tsun	12 2 45 2
Ng Sz Kwong	9 1 39 3
H. Ching	12 1 42 2
G. Lee	10 2 35 3

C.R.C.—1ST INNINGS.

Yew Man Tsun, not out	42
Choa Man Ping, b Abbas	0

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

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HAWAS REVIEW.

PARIS, November 2.
Earl F. Leverhulme, now in Tokyo, will be shortly appointed Belgian representative in Berlin.

Throughout France to-day, "all souls day," special ceremonies are being held in towns and villages in memory of those who fell in the war. The pantheon has been chosen as the scene of the Paris ceremony. President Poincaré, ministers and members of the diplomatic corps will be present. Many other ceremonies will be held. Marshal Foch will preside in the afternoon at a great gathering in the Sorbonne, organised by the union of fathers and mothers to pay a solemn tribute to the memory of their sons who died for France. The cardinal archbishop of Paris will officiate at a solemn mass in the cathedral of Notre Dame. By hundreds of thousands bereaved relatives will visit the long line of graves that marks the tide of battle. Their departure, which began on Friday, was continued last night. Numbers of heavily loaded trains left the city for the battlefields. Yesterday, "all saints day," the cemeteries of Paris were visited by immense crowds. President Poincaré, officials and generals joined in paying tribute to the honoured dead.

PARIS, November 3.
The Supreme Council has decided that Germany will be called on to hand over a certain number of war-craft, floating docks, cranes, and other naval material, in compensation for sinking the German warships at Scapa Flow. This demand has been inserted in the protocol forwarded to the German government concerning the execution of the peace treaty.

The reply of the Supreme Council to the objections of the Bulgarian government has been handed to the Bulgarian delegation this afternoon. Bulgaria will have a delay of ten days in which to state whether she accepts or not the conditions in their entirety. The conditions of the original text are maintained, though light modifications appear in certain financial and economic stipulations.

Two association football matches were played on Saturday and yesterday, between the London and Paris leagues. Paris won both.

The French writer and poet Laurent Tailhade died yesterday, 65 years old.

PROFITING IN AUSTRALIA.

LEGISLATION IN VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, November 6.
The State Assembly has passed an anti-profit-making bill, providing a maximum fine of £500 or a year's imprisonment in the case of an individual offender and £2,000 in the case of a corporation.

INDUSTRIAL COURTS.

SECOND READING PASSES.

LONDON, November 5.
In the House of Commons, Sir R. Horne moved the second reading of the Industrial Disputes Bill, the features whereof are provision for a permanent industrial court of inquiry and the dropping of compulsory arbitration existing under the present act. The Bill also provides for the continuance of wartime rates of wages till September 1920. The reason compulsion was dropped was that employers objected to the clause empowering workmen to compel employers to accept arbitration on wages disputes and to abide by the decision, whereas there was no corresponding compulsion on the workers to abide by the decision. Labour objected to being made the subject of compulsory arbitration, hence it had been dropped. Sir R. Horne, however, defended labour against the suggestion that their objection was because they desired to evade awards. He pointed out that in the last eleven months the interim court arbitration had decided 863 cases and only in three had there been a strike against the award. Moreover he declared that compulsion had largely failed in Australia and Canada because he opined that the people were unready for it.

The second reading carried unanimously.

AFTERWARD DEVELOPMENT IN SYRIA.

IS THIS MORE PROPAGANDA?

CAIRO, Nov. 5.
A serious situation is developing in Syria owing to the British evacuation which according to programme should be completed on Nov. 12. The Hedjaz authorities are threatening resignation and disclaiming responsibility for the future on the ground that the British have hitherto limited the size of Feisal's army. A further disquieting factor is the possibility of an understanding between the Arabs and the Turkish nationalists who are known to be negotiating.

THAT TWO MINUTE SILENCE.

ARRANGEMENTS AT HOME.

LONDON, November 10.
The Home Secretary issues suggestions for carrying out his Majesty's two-minute silence scheme at eleven o'clock on Tuesday. He points out that it is of capital importance that the moment fixed for the commencement of silence should be clearly marked by some distinct sound. He suggests that in country villages the church clock or bells will be an adequate signal but in larger towns other means will be necessary in order to ensure uniformity. In London and suburbs maroons will be fired. He suggests that elsewhere the mayors should provide for a signal by siren or available alternative. Arrangements are being made to cease all trains throughout the country. The police in London will stop all street traffic. Local authorities are asked to do the same. It is hoped that employers will co-operate to carry out the spirit of the scheme. He suggests that people in the streets and shops co-operate by simply standing still when the signal is sounded.

BRITAIN NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR SCAPA SCUTTLE.

FIRST MESSAGE WAS MERELY FRENCH PROPAGANDA.

LONDON, November 6.
In the House of Commons Mr. Long stated that the government did not accept the responsibility for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow. The Supreme Council is still considering the disposal of the ships.

BOLSHEVIKS AND POLAND.

LONDON, November 5.
The Bolshevik mission has arrived in Poland about the proposed exchange of prisoners. The mission is invested with wide powers and the Bolsheviks are ready to make important concessions to Poland.

SHAH OF PERSIA.

TALKS COMMERCE AT MANCHESTER.

LONDON, Nov. 6.
At a banquet at Manchester the Shah said the recent Anglo-Persian agreement, while strengthening the traditional friendship of the two nations, should furnish a wide field for the development of their future commercial relations. Certain obstacles which had hitherto prevented a free exchange of commerce disappeared and the moment was favourable for Persia to regain her ancient position as a great mart for eastern and western trade. He was convinced that Persia would play her part as a member of the League of Nations in the common cause.

U.S.A. EXPORTS.

A TREMENDOUS INCREASE.

LONDON, November 6.
The United States exports for the first eight months of 1919, were over £1,000,000,000 in value, representing a big advance on previous similar periods.

COURT MARTIAL.

WARRANT OFFICER CHARGED.

A District Court Martial was held, this morning, in the Royal Artillery Theatre.

Major T. M. Wakefield, D. S. O., R. G. A., presided and the Court was composed of Captain G. F. D. Burrell, 1/1 G. B. Manchester Regiment, and Lieut. C. J. Cordon, 222 Punjabis. Captain P. H. Davies, R. A., prosecuted.

Schoolmaster T. G. Fugh was charged with being absent from duty and being drunk, on Nov. 4.

Accused who had no Counsel, pleaded not guilty to both charges. Army Schoolmaster J. P. Gallagher, called by the prosecution said on Nov. 4, accused was absent from duty. Witness reported the matter to the officer Commanding Schools at 10.45 a.m. and also to the Inspector of Army Schools. At about 11.30 G. S. M. Westlake requested witness to go to accused's quarters. He did so and saw accused there who was drunk.

Questioned by accused, witness admitted he had worked with accused for three years. Everything had gone on satisfactorily and successfully. Accused—Did you live with me for over one year before my wife came to the Colony?

Witness—Yes. Accused—Can you give an opinion as to whether I am a good or bad sleeper?

Witness—A bad sleeper. Accused—Do you know of my troubles of late?

Witness—Yes. Accused—Might not that cause me intense mental worry?

Witness—Yes. Accused—Might that not lead to mental illness?

Witness—I do not know. Accused—Is it possible that I was mentally worried and ill on Nov. 4 as result of my trouble?

Witness—Yes. Accused—As a schoolmaster, if it were possible that I was ill, there is a doubt as to whether I was drunk?—I think that is possible. Did you make any effort to decide by test whether I was drunk?

The President. That is not allowed. You must put it in a different way. Tests are not allowed. Witness—Were any means taken to decide whether I was drunk or ill, other than by appearance?—No. (Addressing the President.)

Accused—I should like to suggest Sir that other means should have been taken before the charge was made. The President—You can bring that in your defence. (to witness.)

Accused—Did you proceed first up the stairs to my bedroom ahead of the other two witnesses?—I think I was second.

At any rate, the third man was the Sergeant who is being called as a witness against me?—The Sergeant was called in later.

Cross examined by Captain Davies. Witness said accused's duties were to attend the Garrison School, Garden Road, from 8.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 5.30 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. In witness's opinion accused was drunk on the occasion referred to.

Captain Davies—in your evidence you stated accused's condition might possibly be due to illness. Was he drunk or not?—In my opinion he was drunk.

Garrison Sergeant Major H. Westlake said about 11.30 on Nov. 4 he received a report that accused was absent from his work. Witness was ordered to find him. He found accused in his quarters. He was drunk, and was then placed under arrest.

By accused. He took no steps to ascertain whether accused was ill or drunk. No request was made to see a Doctor. That could have been done had the request been made.

Acting Sergeant W. Heads gave corroborative evidence for the prosecution.

Accused then handed in a statement, on oath, wherein it was alleged that owing to domestic trouble he was reduced to a very low mental state and was not responsible for his actions on the morning of Nov. 4. The Court then rose.

EUROPEAN LADY ASSAULTED IN KOWLOON.

A brutal assault was made upon Mrs. Farmer, of Kowloon, this morning, by a young looking Chinese, whilst she was on her way from Victoria View to the Post Office, accompanied by her three year old child. The assailant, in an endeavour to snatch what he thought was a locket, severely manied and bruised the lady, but she pluckily gave chase and fortunately a detective happened to be passing in a ricksha. He saw that something was amiss and finally succeeded in catching the miscreant.

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TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.									
No. of Estate	Boundary Measurements	Area	Estimated Value	Annual Rent	Upset Price				
Lot No.	Locality	N.	S.	E.	W.	ft.	sq. ft.	sq. ft.	sq. ft.
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23 Pieces 1" x 13/16"

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(stored in No. 10 Godown)

7 Bundles 2" x 13/16"

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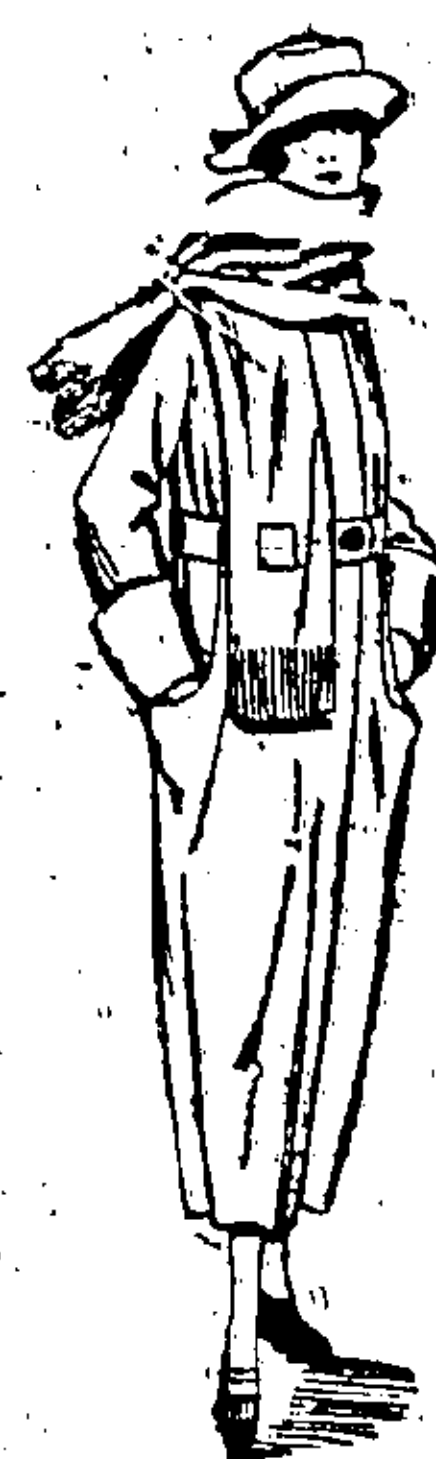
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STUDENTS RIOT AT CANTON.

SINCERE STORE LOOTED.

Canton is agog over an incident which occurred last Saturday afternoon between the Students and the Sincere Company in which, as a result, several students were wounded and about one hundred and thirty of them including some twenty-five girl students were locked up in the basement of the store from 7.30 in the evening till ten o'clock the next morning.

The incident took place during a parade of the students after a memorial meeting in the East Garden held in honour of four of their fellow workers, who had died recently.

HOW THE TROUBLE STARTED.

At about two thirty or three o'clock some sixty or seventy boys who were in the parade rushed through the Sincere Company Store shouting "Boycott the Department Stores" as they waved flags and stamped through the aisles of the store. The students were looking for some important officials of the department store. They asked the employees who looked important, who they were and what position they held in the company, and when they came to Ma Shun Tak, who replied that he was formerly manager of the Sincere Insurance Company in Kowloon, they dragged him and maltreated him, tore his coat and placed him with words to this effect: "Boycott the Department Stores. This is the man who struck the students."

Another fohi, Au Yun, received the same treatment: then both of them were tied by the hands, dragged to the street, tied to a post for about two hours and photographed. Some policemen, however, came to rescue the two fohis by ordering the students to leave the men on their hands, as they would arrest the two and carry them to police headquarters.

POLICE SERGEANT BEATEN BY STUDENTS.

Sergeant Yang Wai was also chased by the boys and his revolver and rifle and bayonet taken away from him. He was very severely handled by the boys, some girl students who marched in the parade having themselves taken part in the rough handling of the sergeant who nearly lost his senses as a result of the rough treatment.

The police asked for more men from the Central Station, the twenty-five who arrived there not being able to cope with the situation. Captain Yang Ki Wai with a company of soldiers arrived, and told the Sincere Company officials to leave the matter entirely to him. The Sincere Company was already at the mercy of the students, their fohis having deserted their places to escape from being manhandled by the students. Captain Yang having gotten control of the safeguarding of the Company's properties told the students that they would be held responsible for any loss of or damage to the property of the company. He also demanded of the students that they return the revolver, rifle and bayonet of Sergeant Yang Wai, and hand to the authorities the party responsible for the rough treatment of Sergeant Yang Wai. The students replied they were not going to hand the revolver, rifle and bayonet of the sergeant, neither were they going to deliver up the ones responsible for the officer's maltreatment. The Captain then told the students that if they did not comply with his request, he will arrest them all. The students shouted that they were ready to be arrested. The Captain made good his word, ordered the doors of the Sincere store closed, with the 130 or more students inside including some girls, about twenty or twenty-five. The Sincere Company had many hours before tried to close their doors to avoid more serious consequences but the onrush was such that it was not possible for them to close the iron gates of the store.

Meanwhile the boys were locked in the store, their fellow-students and the crowd outside waited anxiously for further developments. During the whole night the students kept up a mass meeting in front of the company, preaching boycott and heaping all sorts of insults to the Sincere Company.

Yesterday morning The Canton Times sent two representatives to the Sincere Company to see the harm that had been done in the store. With the permission of the

official in charge of the police guarding the place and accompanied by an official of the Sincere Company, an examination of the wreckage inside was carefully made.

THE SINCERE STORE AFTER THE RIOT.

Throughout the entire floor of the basement where the students stayed during the night, papers with all sorts of invectives against the Big Three Department Stores were disseminated. Cans of biscuits, food stuffs, caps, old shoes, and various other articles were strewn about the floor. Towels were taken from the show cases, and made good use of. A number of show cases were smashed up. In the principal aisle of the basement were found a student's cap with the insignia of the Seventh Normal School, a number of old schoolboys' shoes, a sun helmet belonging to one of the school boys and valuable goods scattered about. Cans of preserves were opened and were freely used. The biscuit stand was a sorry sight to see; the same thing with the candy stand. In the stocks and stockings department, and the handkerchief, towel, leather pocket book department, show cases were smashed and goods freely taken out from the cases and thrown on the floor. Flower pots and stands and other things that were outside the store were also smashed. The stores continue to be under the control of a responsible officer, and the state of things existing in the store have not been altered, awaiting the inspection of the government magistrates. The Sincere Company officials desire to have the authorities see for themselves the injury done and to leave it to them to judge the amount of loss.

The students were locked in the Sincere basement store, under guard, but to judge from the way the goods of the stores have been used, they seem to have but little respect for the guards, or the guards might have helped as freely with the students with the booty. Of course it is unjust to make any accusations but as there were only students and guards inside, the guilty ones cannot be anybody else but some of these within the premises.

The students were not removed from the store because the policemen desired to prevent more serious consequences and a street riot had they carried the students to the headquarters, for since 3.30 p.m. till very late in the night the Bund in front of the Sincere store was so crowded that practically all traffic was interrupted.

ARREST OF STUDENTS.

Yesterday morning at about ten o'clock the students who were locked up were released except eleven of them, the ringleaders, who were arrested and carried to the police station. This action could take place only after the Military Governor had sent to the Bund some two thousand armed soldiers, with machine guns and other armaments, and had the gunboats in the river ready for whatever eventualities. Canton witnessed something very unlike when these soldiers passed through the Bund, succeeded in dispersing the crowd, and made possible the release of the locked up students and the carrying to the police station of the ringleaders.

The Sincere Company continues to have all its doors locked and all business suspended in the meantime. Soldiers are zealously watching over the properties, as a number of missiles in the crowds last night suggested burning the company's properties.

THE STUDENTS' VERSION OF THE STORY.

The story as told by the students is as follows: When their parade passed by the Sincere Store, the students shouted "Boycott the Department Stores." Formerly when-ever a students' parade of this nature was passing by, the Sincere Company closed its doors. But this time it did not, two of its fohis went out with revolvers in their hands, and knocked down five students, two of them being severely wounded. When the other boys saw this they rushed to the store in order to catch the two fohis. When the fohis Ma Shun Tak and Au Yew were captured by the students, they placarded the two men with "These men struck the students." Then they were carried to the door, ordered to stand up on a stool so that every one could see them, and photographed.

The students sent representatives to the officials of the Sincere Company to request that the fohis be turned over to the police, but the Sincere Company refused. Then the boys took the law in their own

KINEMA NOTES.

No less than four performances were given, yesterday, at the Coronet Kinema, as a special holiday programme. In the afternoon, at 2.15, for the benefit of the little ones (who were admitted at half price), the great favourite "Tarzan of the Apes" was put on the screen. This film is now well-known and needs no further comment. At 5.15 p.m., 7.15 p.m. and 9.15 p.m. a new drama-picture was screened, entitled "Toys of Fate." There was a full "house" at each performance and so attractive did this film prove to be that many who witnessed the earlier performances paid a second visit in the evening.

"Toys of Fate" is a drama in which the Romany Chals, more commonly known as gipsies, play an important part and the elaborate preparations for local colour enabled a most realistic presentation of a gipsy camp. The story of the play is briefly the enticing away from her people of the wife of one of the gipsy chiefs by a wealthy young man and his subsequent desertion of her which leads to her suicide, and later on in life, a like attempt on another member of the gipsy band who turns out to be the chief's daughter. The vendetta then commences and the fate of the seducer is vividly pictured in a series of dramatic episodes. The film is a "thriller" calculated to satiate desires of all who are attracted by this class of picture.

The orchestra again played an important part and rendered admirably an appropriate programme including selections from "Rigoletto," "Cio-cio-na," Zingaris and other tuneful items.

The same picture will be screened at to-day's performances.

At the same time a company of one hundred policemen arrived in the scene, and ordered the boys to stop rioting, but the command was not heeded and as a result one of the policemen struck the students with his bayonet. One student was severely wounded in the head, and a passer-by was also wounded.

The boys rushed to the offending policeman who had inside the Sincere Store, but was captured. The students took away from the policeman his rifle, revolver and bayonet which was still stained with blood.

While this was happening, the Sincere Company's stores were closed. The boys inside could no longer get out. Five of the wounded boys also were carried inside the store, and were attended to by the students of the Kwong Wa, Yi Lok and Yu Yu Medical Schools who were also locked inside, the girl students not excepted. There were about three hundred in all locked inside the store.

The students sent a representative to the District Procuratorate who sent Mr. Mok to investigate the matter. The representative of justice could not at first get inside the building as it was locked, but later entered through the Eastern Hotel.

THE WOUNDED STUDENTS.

The following have been wounded by the Sincere Company's fohis, according to the students: Wang Han-wu of the Government Law School, Chu Yu Chuen of the Kwangchow Middle School, and Pun Shat-tai of the Ling Hoi School. The following were wounded by the police, according to the students: Lau I, and Liang Ping-i of the Kao Chung School, Fu Ming-chang of the Government Law School, Ma Tse-chi of the Punyu Middle School, Mr. Choy Sha-tang of the Ling Hoi School, and several others.

The students claim that they have not done any harm to the Sincere Company's properties, that the food eaten by those locked inside were bought by the students from other stores and placed inside the Sincere Store through whatever opening they could find and that all acted like gentlemen while they were locked up.

The students have sent a long telegram to the Shanghai Students' Union telling their side of the story in this incident, and announcing at the same time their intention of suing the Sincere Company for damages, as well as the local police department.—Canton Times.

SHANGHAI AUTUMN RACE MEETING.

FIRST DAY'S RESULTS.

The Shanghai Autumn Race meeting commenced yesterday, the following being the results:—

THE MALOO PLATE.—Half mile. Mr. Robson's The Dancing Bird (Mr. Brand) 1

Mr. Fash's Nigger Minstrel (Mr. Hill) 2

Messrs. B. O. Balbi and W. G. Ross' Jock Scott (Mr. Head) 3

Time: 58.8-seconds.

THE MAIDEN STAKES.—Three-quarter mile. Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's The Pelican (Mr. Hill) 1

Mr. Robson's The Home Bird (Mr. J. K. Brand) 2

Mr. Fash's Dabbers (Mr. Dalgarno) 3

Time: 1min., 34.2-seconds.

THE FAN-WAN STAKES.—One-and-a-half mile. Mr. Henry Morris' Leaflet (Mr. Stewart) 1

Mr. P. S. Gibbing's Standard Dahlia (Mr. Dalgarno) 2

Mr. Rennie's Rouble (Mr. Sleep) 3

Time: 3mins., 16.4-seconds.

SHANGHAI ST. LEGER.—One-and-a-half mile. Mr. G. H. Potts' Mountain King (Mr. Burkill) 1

Messrs. Sky and Hickling's Mazwick (Mr. Brand) 2

Messrs. Sky and Hickling's Hal-low E'en (Mr. Johnstone) 3

Time: 3mins., 48.4-seconds.

ECLIPSE STAKES.—One and a quarter mile. Mr. Jeroni's Tatonillard (Mr. Willeumier) 1

Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's The Screamer (Mr. Hill) 2

Mr. Sutter's Gulf Sand (Mr. Vida) 3

Time: 2mins., 44.4-seconds.

CRITERION STAKES.—One mile. Mr. Sutter's Castlewood (Mr. Vida) 1

Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's The Corn Crane (Mr. Hill) 2

Mr. E. B. Rose's Greyhound (Mr. Springfield) 3

Time: 2mins., 58-seconds.

THE AUTUMN CUP.—One and quarter mile. Mr. John Peel's Silver Streak (Mr. Johnstone) 1

Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's The Oriole (Mr. Hill) 2

Messrs. Stephen and Burkill's Byrond... (Mr. Willeumier) 3

Time: 2mins., 40.2-seconds.

THE FRAWLEY COMPANY opens a looked-for season at the Theatre Royal this evening, giving as the first of an attractive programme of plays Mr. Austin Strong's successful three-act comedy, "Three Wise Fools."

The play will introduce locally Miss Beatrice Prentice, one of Mr. Frawley's new leading women—he has several with him on this trip—and has been one of the most successful presented during the present tour, calling for repeat performances in Japan, Shanghai and Manila. "Three Wise Fools" opened on Broadway last season and is still running and is about to begin in London. Besides being delightfully humorous it gives opportunity for some difficult character acting and the three roles upon which the title of the piece is based will be handled by Mr. Frawley and by two members of the company new to Hongkong—Mr. Henry Crosby and Mr. Rodney Eldebrand. Booking for the opening performance and for the others announced for this week has been very heavy and all indications are that the players will act to crowded houses throughout the engagement.

The Frawley Company arrived here yesterday on the steamer "Loong Sang" after an exceptionally successful season in Manila where, the management reports, attendances were larger and more appreciative than ever. To-night's performance begins at 8.15 o'clock and patrons are requested to be on time.

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NEWS FROM HOME.

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Then there is a Swiss firm which wrote to a firm in West Bromwich a naive letter stating that they had become owners of the rights to make certain rolling mill machinery formerly made in Dusseldorf by a Herr Schmitz and would supply the same to Switzerland, and the countries of the Allies, under the direction of Schmitz himself. Moreover, as their own works were not quite ready, they would continue to supply the machinery from Dusseldorf as before.

Further, I would give the case of the London firm which early in 1914 owed a Solingen steelware firm £17 for goods. The bill has just come in marked, "Plus five per cent. interest for five years-net cash." For sheer Hun impudence I think that last bill which I have seen for myself—would be hard to beat.

That the Hun has a definite plan is clear from the flood of catalogues and travellers already busy in South America. And China, I am assured, is the next on the list for attention. In those two countries they see their best fields of expansion in the next few years, while Europe and America are still prejudiced against the nation that bathed the world in blood and conducted its campaigns with such savagery and lack of regard for the recognized rules of civilized peoples.

DEPOT SHIP FOR CHINA.

The following has just been issued—"The Admiralty have given instructions for the submarine depot ship "Titania," which has acted as "mother" ship for the submarine based on Blyth during the war, to be paid off at Chatham to-day (30th) and to be recommissioned to-morrow with a new crew for service on the China Station as second depot ship of the Fourth Submarine Flotilla. Captain Frederick A. Somerville, D.S.O., is at present in command of the "Titania," and of the submarine flotilla attached to her. The light cruiser "Bonaventure," which was built under the Naval Defence Act, and hoisted the pennant for her maiden commission and served on the East Indies station as flag ship as far back as July 5, 1894, was to have been attached to the China Station, but has now been ordered to be placed on the sale list. The Bonaventure served as a light cruiser on the China and Pacific stations, at the conclusion of her duties in the East Indies, and on being paid off in 1906 she was converted at Haulbowline Yard into a depot ship for submarines, hoisting the pennant for the first time in that capacity on April 2, 1910. She has since been attached to submarine flotillas."

THE COST OF LIVING.

The first of the 900 committees set up under the Profiteering Act by local bodies have got to work. The public are invited to charge any tradesmen they may find profiteering with offences and then the committees will adjudicate. I am afraid the situation will be largely moral, for many of the committees are composed too largely of tradesmen for real reform to come that way. But perhaps the moral situation is working already, for there is a slight tendency to reduce some articles of clothing. It is difficult, however, to see a general reduction as long as our exports are so small in comparison with our imports, the delays are so great and so costly in distribution, and the output on the shorter day remains so low while wages are going up. At this time a sovereign is worth a little over eight shillings, compared with the pre-war standard. Of all the profiteers the labour profiteer is the worst. The other day, for example, I had an opportunity of seeing the books of a great undertaking of national importance. The managers of departments, who were responsible for the handling of goods worth some quarter of a million a week, being without a trade union, are being paid just about as much as the labourers at the far end of their wages roll, though the latter have no responsibility, no brain work, and do not do a full day's work anyway. Depend upon it the men who are making the most fuss to-day are not those under the economic harrow. The professional man and the man of fixed income is still having a bare time, but many a labourer's home, where there is nobody to play the piano, has lately added that article of furniture. And the other day a business man called me to his window and pointed across the street to a woman washing a "doorstep." "The fur coat she is wearing" he

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MACAO NOTES.

[China Mail Correspondence.]

Nov. 9
H. E. the Governor of Macao will leave to-morrow to H. K. to pay an official visit. At his own request the due honours on the occasion of his departure will not be made.

The Colonial Secretary has received an official letter from the French Govt. regarding the case between Loyal Senate and Mr. Ricou, concessionary of M. E. L. Co. Ltd. to the fact that the senate has not appointed an arbitrator for the case pending between them. This statement is not correct.

Besides the dismissals at Government offices, the acting Chief Revenue Officer was suspended from his work by the Inquiry Committee. This gentleman is blamed for carelessness in the recent forgery case. Had he checked the accounts himself he would have prevented the fraud.

Together with the contingent a hundred more civilians are expected. The object of their coming is not known. Will there be any more dismissals to make room for them or will a No. 3 Police Company be formed? The senator for Macao, who is still here, please look into the matter.

The new Commissioner who is occupying three positions here, is trying to make a complete reform of the work under his control. He came to Macao via America; probably he acquired his title there.

The distribution of prizes at the Municipal schools was solemnly held to-day at the Municipal Hall under the presidency of H. E. the Governor.

D'ANNUNZIO'S RAID.
The Manchester Guardian says—"The date of the 15th October was fixed for the departure of a flotilla of five or six Italian aeroplanes under the command of D'Annunzio for Tokyo, via India and China. The preparations for this peaceful raid were the most elaborate. The Italian Government warmly supported the initiative, and already the permission required for landing in British territory was asked for in London and obtained. The greatest difficulties were reckoned to be met in the regions between the Bengal frontier and Peking, where long flights were never before attempted."

"Two ships had already sailed from an Italian port for the Far East, exclusively loaded with the supplies needed in the different stages of the raid, which would have been the longest ever attempted. But as soon as it was known that the poet had made for Fiume, giving up Tokyo, the ships were recalled, and are now being escorted into port."

"The Italian papers which arrived to-night in London report that after the flight to Fiume, of some Italian pilots to join D'Annunzio's ranks the Government has put out of use by taking away an essential piece of the engine, all the aeroplanes, civil and military, in the kingdom. The aerial postal service between Milan and Rome and between the peninsula and the island of Sardinia had consequently to be stopped."

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THE WATER SUPPLY.

Level and Storage of water in reservoirs on the 1st November, 1919:—

CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS LEVEL.	1918.	1919.
1918. 1st Nov. 10 a.m.	1919. 1st Nov. 10 a.m.	
1st. Below overtop.	1st. 4 in. Below overtop.	
2nd. Below overtop.	2nd. 1 in. Do.	
3rd. Below overtop.	3rd. 1 in. Above overtop.	
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Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of October.

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Constant supply in all districts during October of both 1918 and 1919.

KOWLOON WATER WORKS LEVEL.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from the China Mail.)

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

LONDON, November 5th.—A debate on the British policy towards Russia opened in the House of Commons today, on an amendment to the vote of credit proposed by Colonel Wedgwood to reduce the supplementary Army services by £10,000,000, assistance to General Denikin and Yudenich.

Colonel Wedgwood denounced the Russian policy and asked why England was bearing the whole burden of expense in the anti-Bolshevik campaigns.

Lieut. Colonel John Ward declared that it would have been dishonourable after we had organized the Russians for our purpose to have sent to them when peace came. "There is now no Western front, good-bye."

Colonel Ward declared that every Briton calling himself a democrat ought to support Admiral Koltchak. Britain should continue assisting him.

Colonel Malone, who has just returned from Bolshevik Russia, said that he was not enamoured of the Bolsheviks, but he had been impressed with the amount of reconstruction which the Soviet was carrying on.

He was of the opinion that peace with the Soviet was at present within the scope of practicable statecraft.

Other speakers, who have lately returned from the Baltic, defended the Finnish soldiers. They said they were gallant, disciplined and orderly. They worshiped General Mannerheim. "A humane, cultured gentleman, who commanded the approval and support of all the best elements in Finland."

Replying to the debate, Mr. Winston Churchill pointed out the insuperable difficulties experienced by all great countries as regards furnishing a clear-cut Russian policy. He expressed the opinion that Japan alone, perhaps, knew exactly what she wanted.

The position of the great countries was that they had not declared war against the Soviet and were not waging war with all their forces, but their troops were engaged in hostilities wherever they were in contact with the Bolsheviks. All the Allies were in this bewildering quandary. Yet we held on to the principle that Russia must be saved by her own hand.

Some said let Russia stew in her own juice. He dissented, because then either the Bolsheviks would try to stew us in her juice or reactionary Russia would stew in German juice (Cheers).

He pointed out that our future influence in Russia depended upon the present measure of moral and material assistance accorded. It was idle to believe that we could now wash our hands of Russia and subsequently hope to influence her future destiny and development.

All our actions in this connection had been taken in harmony with the other great powers.

The ideal of the Bolsheviks was a world-wide proletarian revolution. They openly despised men of commonplaces.

During 1919 we spent on account of Russia £45,500,000, but it was not a question of profit and loss but of right and duty.

AMERICAN MINERS' STRIKE.

WASHINGTON, November 5th.—The Assistant Attorney-General declared that the Government refused to withdraw the injunction against the strike leaders on the ground that the strike violated the law. The mine-workers' representatives state that the refusal means a prolonged struggle.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, November 5th.—The Bank of England rate of discount has been raised today from five to six per cent.

THE BALTIC PROVINCES.

COPENHAGEN, November 6th.—The Lithuanian Press Bureau issues a statement from Libau that German troops, presumably Col. Baron von der Goltz, supported by artillery and armoured trains, strongly attacked Libau on November 4th.

They were repulsed by Lithuanian troops from Libau, supported by British artillery. Lithuanian positions were bombarded throughout the day.

A fresh violent offensive launched in the evening was repulsed with heavy loss.

TRADE WITH EX-ENEMY STATES.

LONDON, November 5th.—The Textile Section of the London Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution discountenancing business with ex-enemy countries until the Government has declared its trade policy, and urging the Government to make a definite announcement in this connection at the earliest possible moment.

PREMIUM BONDS.

LONDON, November 5th.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the House would shortly be given an opportunity, by a free vote, to decide the question of premium bonds.

TAXATION AT HOME.

LONDON, November 5th.—Mr. Austen Chamberlain, in a speech at the Guildhall, said that the Excess Profits tax should go at the earliest moment, but it must be replaced by some other equitable tax. Taxation must be readjusted. If expenditure was increased, taxation must be increased and new taxation, if imposed, must be such as to reduce the floating debt.

DISASTROUS RAILWAY COLLISION.

PARIS, November 5th.—The latest estimates of the casualties through the collision of the Simplon express are 60 killed and over 100 injured.

ADMIRAL KOLTCHAK RETREATING.

OSKA, October 30th.—The Civil Government is evacuating Omsk. Admiral Koltchak is retreating on the whole of his front.

ARMISTICE DAY REFLECTIONS.

Twere wrong to mourn as a calamity—
Your death, 'Twas for your country's sake.

You died; the utmost sacrifice to make,
Fighting that myriad yet unborn to free.

A loss like this should leave behind
No ache.

You are not dead. 'Tis Death alone
That dies.

And though we doubt, thinking what
Might have been.

We would not ask that aught should
Interfere.

Could we but see the good that underlies
This parting, which we feel to be so keen.

Death's Conqueror! 'Is it for these
We mourn?

Is cannot be that Happiness they
Lack.

Because they've left this Earth's
Confining track?

'Tis Selfishness not Love would ask
them back.

And though, perchance in weakness
We have cried.

Yet, could we but know that some-
where on this Day

They too rejoice with us, then would
we say,

"Give rein to Joy, let Grief give
place to Pride;

For that is how They'd wish us to
decide."

—N.I.B.

OUR LOCAL POETS.

MY FLOWER.

Humbly dedicated to Poetic.
My flower is so lovely and so sweet
That I do worship it with all my heart.

Give me my flower sweet, I do
entreat.

Or life so dear from this world
will depart.

Tis for my flower that I'll break the
wall.

That separates our two tormented
hearts.

I'll even brave my bitter death and
all.

So that my heart, its sweetness
true imparts.

The world is not so just because it
lides.

My pretty flower from my eyes
and heart.

But through the breezes sweet my
love confides.

Its feeling true and pure, although
unpaid.

My flower sweet: I want you all
the while.

To make me happy and to give
me breath.

Of love that never fades in world so
vile.

Give me my flower or you'll give
me death!

ESANIP.

Hongkong, November 3.

CHAIR COOLIES.

DOUBLE JOB.

Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell this morning, Mrs. Crockett of the Peak summoned her two chair coolies for absconding themselves from duty.

The coolies were told that the mistress would be going out one morning, but they did not turn up to take her in her chair, and she had to go by a public one. While going down the Peak, she met the coolies who were carrying a gentleman in a public chair. When asked why they did not turn up, they said that they had no quarters in her house, and were late that morning by going up from town.

The C.S.P. said the coolies were both in possession of private and public licences, and were engaged by Mrs. Crockett at \$12 a month each. His Worship fined each \$5.

VISIT OF THE GOVERNOR OF MACAO.

OFFICIAL CALL AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Shortly after 3 p.m., yesterday, the Portuguese gunboat "Patila" came into port, and had on board His Excellency the Governor of Macao, Senhor Correa da Silva D.S.O., who was accompanied by his A.D.C., Lt. Correa. A salute was fired. His Excellency then boarded a launch and landed at Blake Pier. A guard of honour composed of Indian troops was stationed outside the pier. A large number of spectators crowded round behind. H. E. Sir Edward Stubbs sent a representative to meet his Excellency on his landing. Mr. E. V. M. R. de Sousa, the Consul General for Portugal was also present. After inspecting the guard of honour, His Excellency was driven to Government House in a motor car and was received by Sir Edward Stubbs. His Excellency was the guest at dinner last evening at Government House. He will be leaving for Macao to-day. His Excellency was formerly the commander of the gunboat "Ibo," which rendered assistance to the British in South African waters. For his services his Excellency (then Commander) was given the D.S.O. decoration.

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XMAS LETTER MAIL.

The Letter Mail to be despatched per
"Yokohama Maru" on the 14th instant,
is expected to reach London on the
20th December.

The Money Order Service with the
Philippine Islands has been temporarily
suspended.

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed
15 minutes earlier than the time given
below unless otherwise stated, and where
mails are advertised to close before 9
a.m. registered and parcel mails are
closed at 7 p.m. on the previous day.

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Registration closes at 5 o'clock on the
previous evening.

INWARD MAIL.

WEDNESDAY, November 12.
Shanghai—Per KASHIMA MARU.

Shanghai—Per YINGCHOW.

THURSDAY, November 13.
Shanghai and Japan—Per YOKOHAMA
MARU.

FRIDAY, November 14.
Europe (via Negapatun)—Per SADO
MARU.

SUNDAY, November 16.
Bombay—Per HWAH-WU.

OUTWARD MAIL.

WEDNESDAY, November 12.
Macao—Per SUIAN, 8.30 a.m.

Macao—Per CHEUNG CHOW, 4.30 p.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius,
South Africa, India via Dhannah-
kodi, Egypt and EUROPE via
LYONPOOL—Per LYONPOOL,
5 p.m.

THURSDAY, November 13.
Swatow and Straits—Per CHUSAN,
8 a.m.

Macao—Per SUIAN, 8.30 a.m.

Shanghai and North China—Per
SINKIANG, 11 a.m.

Wei-hai-wei and Chefoo—Per KUEI-
CHOW, 2 p.m.

Macao—Per CHEUNG CHOW, 4.30 p.m.

Japan via Nagasaki, Canada, United
States, Central and South
America and EUROPE via SAN
FRANCISCO—Per PERSEA
MARU, Registration 5.00 p.m.

Letters 8.00 a.m. Nov. 14.

FRIDAY, November 14.
Macao—Per SUIAN, 8.30 a.m.

Haiphong—Per KAIPOONG, 8 a.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius,
South Africa, India via Dhannah-
kodi, Egypt and EUROPE
via MARSILLES—Per YOKO-
HAMA MARU, Registration
9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The C.P.O.S. Co's S.S. *Makura*
arrived at Yokohama on Nov. 10,
leaves there Nov. 11, is due at Kobe
on Nov. 13, and is due at Hong-
kong Nov. 24.

The C.P.O.S. Co's R.M.S. *Express* of
Russia arrived at Yokohama, left
there noon, Nov. 8, and is due at
Yokohama on Nov. 17.

The C.P.O.S. Co's R.M.S. *Express* of Asia
left Vancouver for Hongkong via
Japan ports, Shanghai and Manila,
on Oct. 30, and is due here on or
about Nov. 25.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Kashima Maru* (American
Line) left Shanghai for this port on
the 9th November, and is expected
here on the 14th November.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Yokohama Maru* (Euro-
pean Line) left Shanghai for this
port on the 10th November, and is
expected here on the 13th November.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Sado Maru* (European
Line) left Singapore for this port on
the 8th November, and is expected
here on the 14th November.

Latest Advice.

The C.M.S.S. Co's s.s. *China* arrived
at Yokohama on November 7, and
sailed on November 8, and may be
expected to arrive in Hongkong on
November 15.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Huachu* (Bombay Line)
left Bombay for this port on the
28th October, and is expected here
on the 10th November.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Tango Maru* (Australian
Line) left Sydney for this port on
the 31st October, and is expected
here on the 11th November.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Kitano Maru* (European
Line) left London for this port via
Suez Canal on the 18th October, and
is expected here on the 24th Nov.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Anaba Maru* (European
Line) left London for this port via
Suez Canal on the 1st Nov., and is
expected here on the 10th Dec.

ARRIVALS.

November 11.
CHUNSIANG, Brit., 2,555 tons, from
Java Ports, Capt. B. T. Crowe, J.M. &
Co. CM.

KAIPOONG, Brit., 987 tons, from Hai-
phong, Capt. H. Mitchell, B. & S. Co.

KWANGSANG, Brit., 1,438 tons, from
Shanghai and Swatow, Capt. Woodcock,
J.M. & Co. CM.

AMHEST, Brit., 241 tons, from
Framantle, Capt. T. Jones, A. Kwa &
Co. CM.

UNNAN MARU, Jap., 1,340 tons,
from Singapore, Capt. Nishida, O.S.K.

LYCAON, Brit., 4,814 tons, from
Shanghai, Capt. J. Watt Walker, B. & S.
A.S.

CLEARANCES.

November 11.
HUICHOW, Brit., 620 a.m., for
Tientsin via Weihaiwei, B. & S.

CHANGCHOW, Brit., 9.30 a.m., for
Bangkok via Swatow, B. & S.

SUIYANG, Brit., noon, for Shanghai,
B. & S.

MENTOR, Brit., noon, for London via
Singapore, B. & S.

SWAN, Dutch, 3 p.m., for Manila,
S.O. Co.

HATTAN, Brit., 1 p.m., for Swatow,
D.L. & Co.

UNNAN MARU, Jap., 2 p.m., for
Kobe via Tientsin, O.S.K.

NANANG, Brit., 2 p.m., for Calcutta
via Singapore, J.M. & Co.

CHEFOO, Chl., 4 p.m., for Haiphong,
Hong Shun.

FURUBBER, Brit., 4 p.m., for
China via So. Korea.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

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